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St. James's, February 29.

THIS Day the Right Reverend the Lord Biſhop of London, and the Clergy of the City of London, waited on His Majeſty with the following Addreſs.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Biſhop of London, and the Clergy of the City of London, aſſembled at Sion College.

WE your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Biſhop of London, and the Clergy of the City of London aſſembled at Sion College, humbly beg Leave to expreſs our hearty and unanimous Abhorrence of the Attempt that is carrying on, to invade your Kingdoms, and advance a Popiſh Pretender to your Throne; and to aſſure your Majeſty, that we have the juſteſt Senſe of this great Indignity offer'd to your Majeſty and your Royal Family, and of the terrible Conſequences to Church and State, which would unavoidably attend the Succeſs of ſuch a bold and deſperate Undertaking. Under theſe Impreſſions, and from a true Senſe of the Duty we owe to your Majeſty, we ſhall not fail, in our ſeveral Stations, to enforce upon the People committed to our Care, the Obligations they are under, in Point of Conſcience, to preſerve an inviolable Fidelity to your Majeſty, our rightful and lawful Sovereign. At the ſame Time, we will endeavour to keep up in their Minds a due Senſe of the Bleſſings they enjoy under your Majeſty's mild and auſpicious Government, and to poſſeſs them with a juſt Abhorrence of Popery, as the great Corruption of Chriſtianity, and with a firm Belief and Perſwaſion, that as a Popiſh Prince on the Throne is utterly inconſiſtent with the Religion, Laws and Liberties of theſe Kingdoms; ſo the only Means this Nation has, under God, of ſecuring thoſe invaluable Bleſſings to themſelves and their Poſterity, is the Proteſtant Succeſſion as eſtabliſhed in your Royal Family, and a vigorous Oppoſition to all Attempts againſt it, whether at home or abroad.

Given under our Common Seal this Twenty Seventh Day of February, 1743.

To which His Majeſty was pleaſed to return the following moſt gracious Anſwer.

THIS publick Teſtimony of Duty and Loyalty, from the Biſhop, and Clergy of my Capital City, and eſpecially at ſuch a Juncture, is very acceptable to me. You may always depend upon my Favour and Protection; and upon my firm Reſolution to ſupport and maintain the Church of England, as by Law eſtabliſhed.

St. James's, March 1.

The following Addreſs of the Lord Lieutenant and Deputy Lieutenants of the County of Middleſex, and City and Liberty of Weſtminſter, was preſented to his Majeſty by his Grace the Duke of Newcaſtle, one of his Majeſty's Principal Secretaries of State, and Lord Lieutenant of the County of Middleſex, accompanied by ſeveral of the Deputy Lieutenants of the ſaid County: Which Addreſs his Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Lord Lieutenant and Deputy Lieutenants of the County of Middleſex, and City and Liberty of Weſtminſter.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

WE your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Lord Lieutenant and Deputy Lieutenants of the County of Middleſex, and the City and Liberty of Weſtminſter, beg Leave to approach your ſacred Perſon with Hearts full of Gratitude for the great and ineſtimable Bleſſings we enjoy under your Majeſty's auſpicious Reign, and to aſſure your Majeſty, it is with the utmoſt Abhorrence and Reſentment that we look upon the bold and inſolent Deſign, formed by the Enemies of this Nation, to invade your Majeſty's Kingdoms in Favour of a Popiſh Pretender.

As

As we are ſenſible that the Religion, Laws and Liberties of this Country can only be ſecured by the Continuance of the Proteſtant Succeſſion in your Majeſty's Royal Family, we humbly preſume to declare to your Majeſty our firm and fixed Reſolution to ſupport and defend your Majeſty with the warmeſt Zeal, Affection, and Loyalty, at the Hazard of our Lives and Fortunes, againſt the traiterous Deſigns of all your Enemies whatſoever; and that we will, purſuant to the Truſt repoſed in us by your Majeſty, exert our utmoſt Endeavours to deſeat all Attempts that ſhall be made againſt your Crown and Dignity; and by a due Execution of the Powers veſted in us by Law, take the greateſt Care to maintain and preſerve the Peace and Quiet of the Kingdom in general, and of this County, City and Liberty, in particular.

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Palmerſton.	Chetwynd.
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To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Preſident, Vice-Preſident, Treaſurer, Court of Aſſiſtants, and Body of the Artillery Company of the City of London.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

WHEN we reflect upon the Wiſdom, Equity, and Mildneſs of your Majeſty's Government, and the known Conſtancy, Firmneſs, and Reſolution of your Royal Mind, we could ſcarce have thought that any Perſons either could deſire, or would dare to give you any domeſtick Diſturbance.

But ſince the eldeſt Son of the Pretender to your Majeſty's Crown is arrived in France, and ſince they who have long aimed at univerſal Monarchy, forgetful of the late glorious Victory obtained in the Fields of Dettingen, by the Bravery of your Majeſty's Troops, animated by your Royal Preſence and Example, have now the Inſolence to make Preparations to invade this Kingdom, in Concert with diſaffected Perſons here, wicked and ſenſeleſs enough to aſſiſt the Enemies of their Country, of their Religion, and of their lawful Sovereign; We humbly beg Leave, with the reſt of your faithful Subjects, to approach your Throne, and from the higheſt Sentiments of Duty and Gratitude, to expreſs our juſt Deteſtation of ſo daring and deſperate an Attempt, and to aſſure your Majeſty, that we are fully determined to ſacrifice our Lives in the Cauſe of Liberty, in the Defence of your Majeſty's ſacred Perſon, Crown and Dignity, and in Support of the Proteſtant Succeſſion in your Royal Line.

By Order of the Court of Aſſiſtants.
William Harris, Clerk.

They were received very graciouſly, and they all had the Honour to kiſs His Majeſty's Hand.

The following Addreſs of the Lord Provoſt, Magiſtrates, and Council of the City of Edinburgh, has been preſented to his Majeſty by Archibald Stuart, Eſq; their Repreſentative in Parliament: Which Addreſs his Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

WE your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Lord Provoſt, Magiſtrates and Council of the City of Edinburgh, in Council aſſembled, having obſerved by your Majeſty's Meſſage to Parliament, that you have received undoubted Intelligence of the eldeſt Son of the Pretender being arrived in France, and of the Preparations which are making there to invade this Kingdom, in Concert with diſaffected Perſons in Britain, and that ſuch Invaſion is to be ſupported by the Squadron of French Men of War, which has dar'd ſo long to cruize in the Britiſh Channel, take this Occaſion to aſſure your Majeſty of our utter Deteſtation of an Undertaking, no leſs inſolent, than wicked; and of our firm Determination to defend your Majeſty's ſacred Perſon, and the Settlement of the Crown upon your Royal Family, againſt all the open Attempts of foreign Enemies, and againſt all treaſonable Practices at Home.

The ſame Zeal, the ſame Spirit, that has remarkably diſtinguiſhed this City in aſſerting the Cauſe of Religion and Liberty, againſt Popery and France, at the two grand Æra's, the Reformation and Revolution, and in oppoſing and ſuppreſſing the unnatural Rebellion, which broke out in this Country, upon your Royal Father's Acceſſion to the Throne, animates, and determines us (as it muſt do every true Britain) to act in Defence of your Majeſty's Title to the Crown, and of the Religion, Laws and Liberties of theſe Kingdoms.

That your Majeſty may long Live and Reign in the Hearts of a free and independent People, united in Sentiments to maintain the juſt Prerogative of the Crown, and the Liberties of the Subject, and who ſhall hold as Enemies to your Majeſty,

Majeſty, and to Britain, all ſuch as dare in the leaſt encroach on either, is the hearty Prayer of,

May it pleaſe your Majeſty,

Your Majeſty's moſt Obedient, moſt Dutiful and Loyal Subjects and Servants, the Lord Provoſt, Magiſtrates, and Council of the City of Edinburgh in Council aſſembled.

Edinburgh, 22 *Feb.* 1744. Signed by their Order, *John Coutts*, Provoſt.

The following Addreſs of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Common Council of the City of Bath, has been preſented to his Majeſty by General Wade and Philip Bennet, Eſq; their Repreſentatives in Parliament: Which Addreſs his Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Common Council of the City of Bath.

May it pleaſe your Majeſty,

THE Mayor, Aldermen, and Common Council of the City of Bath, approach your Majeſty with all the Obedience we owe our Sovereign, with all the Gratitude that is due to the Guardian of his People: Your Succeſs, (Sir) in Defence of Liberty, has raiſed the Indignation of her inveterate Enemies; enraged at your Defeat of thoſe Deſigns which their aſpiring Ambition had projected, they eſpouſe the Cauſe of a Popiſh Pretender to your Dominions, and patronize the Abettors of arbitrary Power; but whatever Invitations they may have received from our Enemies abroad, or whatever Hopes they may be flattered with from the diſaffected to your Majeſty at home, we (Sir) of this Corporation will hazard our Lives and Fortunes in the Preſervation of your ſacred Perſon and Government; and being truly ſenſible that your Royal Line, and our Liberties, both Religious and Civil, muſt expire together, we, as far as the Influence of our Authority, or Example can extend, will inſpire others with Principles full of Duty, Loyalty, and Affection to your Majeſty and your Royal Deſcendants, full of Abhorrence and Deteſtation of all Pretenders to that Crown you ſo greatly adorn by a conſtant Attachment to the Intereſt of your Subjects, and by a Perſeverance with Fortitude in the Cauſe of Liberty.

In Teſtimony whereof, we have cauſed our common Seal to be hereto affixed this Twenty Fifth Day of February, in the Seventeenth Year of your Reign.

The following Addreſs of the Mayor, Aldermen, Common Council, Clergy, and Principal Inhabitants of the Borough of Bridgwater, in the County of Somerſet, has been preſented to his Majeſty by Vere Poulet and George Doddington, Eſqrs. their Repreſentatives in Parliament: Which Addreſs his Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Mayor, Aldermen, Common Council, Clergy, and Principal Inhabitants of the Borough of Bridgwater, in the County of Somerſet.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

WE your Majeſty's moſt faithful and obedient Subjects, the Mayor, Aldermen, Common Council, Clergy, and Principal Inhabitants of your Majeſty's antient Borough of Bridgwater, do moſt humbly beg Leave, to make this Tender to your Majeſty of our Affection and Duty, Sincerity and Loyalty, to contribute all that in us lies to ſupport your Royal Perſon and Family on the Throne of theſe Kingdoms.

Permit us alſo to offer to your Majeſty, the ſtrongeſt Aſſurances of our utmoſt Abhorrence and Deteſtation of any Scheme or Deſign, that now is, or ſhall be made in Favour of a Popiſh Pretender, or any of his Deſcendants.

And as with Indignation we have heard that an Invaſion of this Kingdom has been meditated by the perfidious Court of France, ſo we are determined with every Briton and Proteſtant who have any Regard for their Religion, Laws and Liberties, at the Hazard of our Lives and Fortunes, to oppoſe ſo dangerous an Attempt.

That the Almighty may long preſerve your Majeſty in Safety, to be the Guardian of our Religion, Laws and Liberties, and that he may ever bleſs theſe Nations with a Prince of your Royal Progeny on the Throne to continue the ſame to lateſt Poſterity, are the ardent Prayers and Wiſhes of your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects.

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your Town of Kingſton upon Hull, with the warmeſt Zeal for the Preſervation of your Majeſty's Perſon and Government, beg Leave to expreſs our great Abhorrence and Deteſtation of the Schemes which are formed and carrying on by your Majeſty's Enemies abroad, in concert with ſome diſaffected Perſons at home, for invading your Kingdoms, in Favour of the Pretender.

When we reflect on the Miſeries and Oppreſſions, which this Nation endured, when laſt under the Government of a Popiſh Head; and the imminent Dangers to which our Religion, Laws, Liberty, and Property were then expoſed; and on the other Hand, conſider the Peace and Security in which we have enjoyed all thoſe invaluable Bleſſings ever ſince the Acceſſion of your Auguſt Houſe to the Throne of theſe Kingdoms; we cannot but think, that any Attempts againſt your Majeſty, in Favour of a Perſon, bred up at the Fountain Head of Tyranny, Superſtition, and Perſecution, muſt be oppoſed, with the greateſt Spirit and Reſolution, by all your Majeſty's Proteſtant Subjects, and become as Vain and Fruitleſs, as they are Deſperate.

And we humbly beg Leave to aſſure your Majeſty, that we will, upon all Occaſions, at the Hazard of our Lives and Fortunes, ſupport your Majeſty's undoubted Right to the Crown of theſe Kingdoms, and the Succeſſion thereof in your Royal Family, againſt all your Majeſty's open and ſecret Enemies.

Given under our Common Seal, this Twenty Third Day of February, in the Seventeenth Year of your Majeſty's Reign.

The following Addreſs of the Mayor, Aldermen, Burgeſſes, and Commonalty of the Burgh of Great Yarmouth, in the County of Norfolk, has been preſented to his Majeſty by the Honourable Edward Walpole, Eſq; one of their Repreſentatives in Parliament: Which Addreſs his Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the King's moſt Sacred Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Mayor, Aldermen, Burgeſſes and Commonalty of the Burgh of Great Yarmouth, in the County of Norfolk, in Common Council aſſembled.

Moſt gracious Sovereign,

THE many Bleſſings we enjoy under your Majeſty's auſpicious Government, always demand our grateful Acknowledgements; but more eſpecially at ſuch an important Juncture as this, when your Majeſty's Kingdoms are threaten'd with an Invaſion in Favour of a Popiſh Pretender.

Under you, Royal Sir, we are convinced, by happy Experience, that our Religious and Civil Liberties are abſolutely ſafe, and that the Continuance of theſe invaluable Bleſſings to our Poſterity cannot be ſo ſecurely provided for, as by having a Race of Proteſtant Princes deſcended from your illuſtrious Houſe to wear the Imperial Crown of theſe Kingdoms.

We therefore beg Leave to expreſs our hearty Abhorrence and Deteſtation of theſe malevolent Deſigns of the common Diſturber of Europe; and to aſſure your Majeſty, that we ſhall be ready to hazard every Thing that can be eſteemed dear or valuable to us, in Defence of your Majeſty's Perſon and Government.

May your Majeſty's Reign be long and proſperous; may you enjoy the Hearts of your Friends, and the Necks of your Enemies be bowed down before you; may theſe be cloathed with Shame and Confuſion, but on your Royal Perſon and Poſterity may the Crown of theſe Kingdoms for ever flouriſh.

Given under our common Seal this 28th Day of February, 1743.

The following Addreſs of the Juſtices of the Peace for the County of Middleſex, at their General Seſſions aſſembled, was preſented to his Majeſty by Thomas Lane, Eſq; Chairman of the ſaid Seſſions, accompanied by ſeveral Juſtices of the Peace of the ſaid County, introduced by his Grace the Duke of Newcaſtle, one of his Majeſty's Principal Secretaries of State, and Lord Lieutenant of the County of Middleſex, and by the Right Honourable the Earl Cowper, Lord of the Bedchamber in Waiting: Which Addreſs his Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of your Majeſty's Juſtices of the Peace for the County of Middleſex, at their General Seſſions aſſembled.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

WE your Majeſty's moſt dutiful Subjects, beg Leave, on this extraordinary and unexpected Occaſion, to expreſs our Duty and Zeal, and to aſſure your Majeſty of our Fidelity and Diligence in exerting ourſelves, according to the Truſt repoſed in us, to the utmoſt of our Power and Ability, in preſerving the Peace of this County, if any Attempts ſhould be made to diſturb the ſame.

We are truly ſenſible of the Bleſſings we enjoy under your Majeſty's Government, in the Preſervation of the Proteſtant Religion, and of the Laws and Liberties of theſe Kingdoms; which invaluable Bleſſings would be totally ſubverted if a Popiſh Pretender ſhould be impoſed upon us.

We take this Opportunity to renew our Aſſurances of our ſincere Attachment to your Majeſty, and your Royal Family, and of our utmoſt Endeavours to ſupport and defend your Majeſty's Perſon and Government againſt all your Enemies.

Middleſex. At the General Seſſion of the Peace of our Sovereign Lord the King, holden at Hicks-Hall in St. John Street, in and for

for the County of Middleſex, by Adjournment, on Thurſday the 23d Day of February, in the Seventeenth Year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George the Second, by the Grace of God, of Great Britain, France, and Ireland, King, Defender of the Faith, &c. before Thomas Lane, John Milner, Nicholas Jeffreys, Robert Hucks, Thomas Fothergill, Henry Norris, Merry Teſhmaker, Thomas Jenner, William Morice, Michael Leheup, Thomas De Veil, John Elliott, Peter Elers, Nathaniel Chandler, Thomas Moore, Robert Paul, Francis Hole, George Errington, Charles Eſtwick, Henry Broadhead, Honorat Smith, John Pouliſon, John Lawton, Eſquires, and other their Fellows, Juſtices of our ſaid Lord the King, aſſigned to keep the Peace in the County aforeſaid, and alſo to hear and determine divers Felonies, Treſpaſſes, and other Miſdeeds committed in the ſame County.

By the Court. Walter.

St. James's, March 2.

This Day the following Addreſs of the Mayor, Aldermen and Burgeſſes of the Town and County of the Town of Nottingham, was preſented to his Majeſty by his Grace the Duke of Newcaſtle, one of his Majeſty's Principal Secretaries of State, Lord Lieutenant of the County, and Recorder of the Town of Nottingham.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgeſſes of the Town and County of the Town of Nottingham, in Common Council aſſembled.

May it pleaſe your Majeſty,

TO permit us, amongſt the Number of your moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, to declare to your Majeſty our greateſt Abhorrence and higheſt Deteſtation of thoſe perfidious Meaſures, which are concerted by our implacable Adverſaries, in Favour of the Pretender to your Crown, againſt the Safety of your Sacred Perſon, and the publick Happineſs of your Kingdoms.

We cannot doubt but all your Majeſty's Subjects, who prefer a free Exerciſe of their Religion and Liberty before Popiſh Slavery and Perſecution, or who have any Concern for their own Safety, or the Welfare of their Poſterity, will be unanimous in defending your Majeſty, and enabling you, to the utmoſt of their Power, to maintain the Liberties and Rights of your Dominions.

As we have upon all Occaſions been deſirous to teſtify our ſtrict Fidelity and firm Attachment to your Majeſty, and the Proteſtant Succeſſion in your Royal Houſe; ſo we moſt humbly beg Leave, in a more eſpecial Manner, at this Juncture to aſſure your Majeſty, that we are ready with our Lives and Fortunes to ſupport your Government, under which we happily find ourſelves in full Poſſeſſion of the moſt valuable Bleſſings of Liberty and Property, Civil and Religious, and to defend your undoubted Right to the Crown, by which alone we can expect to have theſe great Bleſſings continued to us. And we have the ſtrongeſt Reaſon to hope, that the ſame good Providence of God, which placed your Majeſty upon the Throne, to rule over and preſerve us as a free People, will ſo proſper your Arms, in that moſt juſt and honourable Cauſe wherein you are engaged, as to fruſtrate all the Projects of your Enemies Foreign or Domeſtick.

Given under our Common Seal, Feb. 22, 1743.

The following Addreſs of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgeſſes of the Borough of Portſmouth, in the County of Southampton, has been preſented to his Majeſty by Martin Bladen, Eſq; one of their Repreſentatives in Parliament: Which Addreſs his Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgeſſes of the Borough of Portſmouth, in the County of Southampton.

PErmit us, moſt Gracious Sovereign, to declare to your Majeſty and the World, our Abhorrence and Deteſtation of the Invaſion threaten'd your Majeſty's Dominions, by and in Support of a Popiſh Pretender, in open Violation of publick Treaties, and this Breach of publick Faith ſo highly aggravated by the late evaſive and inſolent Pretences aſſign'd as Cauſes thereof.

As we, and all your Majeſty's Subject enjoy, under your Majeſty's wiſe and gracious Government, ſo many invaluable Bleſſings as no Nation beſides can boaſt of, and being truly ſenſible that theſe Bleſſings, invaluable as they are, can be no longer, or otherwiſe ſecured to us, and our Poſterity, than by a faithful and ſteady Adherence to your Majeſty and your Auguſt Houſe; we beg Leave to aſſure your Majeſty, that out of Love, Gratitude, Intereſt and Duty, we ſhall moſt heartily contribute all in our Power to the Support and Defence of your Majeſty's ſacred Perſon, Government and Family, as becomes Men, Engliſhmen and Proteſtants, in Oppoſition to all who for any Views whatever would lay us open to the Tyranny of lawleſs Power, and the wicked, the inhuman and hated Principles and Practices of the Popiſh Religion.

The following Addreſs of the French Proteſtant Refugees has been preſented to his Majeſty by General St. Hyppolite: Which Addreſs his Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

SIRE,

VOS très ſoumis et très fideles Sujets, les Proteſtants François Refugiés, viennent avec empreſſement aux pieds de vôtre Trône, pour vous renouveller les aſſurances de leur Fidelité et de leur Zéle. Attachés à vôtre Majeſté, et à ſon auguſte Maiſon par les liens ſacrés de la Religion, pour laquelle ils ont ſouffert; et par ceux de la Reconniſſance, de l'Inclination, et du Devoir; ſenſibles au bonheur dont ils jouïſſent ſous votre Gouvernement, au milieu de l'Illuſtre et Généreuſe Nation dont ils ſont partie, ils n'ont pû regarder qu'avec horreur, l'audacieuſe, et deteſtable entrepriſe, formé en faveur du Papiſme, contre le Trône de votre Majeſté, la Religion, les Loix et la Proſperité de ces Royaumes; Intérêts pour leſquels nous ſerons toûjours prêts à ſacrifier nos biens, et nos vies.

Nous nous aſſurons, Sire, que le même Dieu qui vous couvrit de ſa Protection dans le Jour des Alarmes, dans ce Jour où l'Intrepidité et le Courage Heroïque de votre Majeſté, ſe montra avec tant de Gloire, et qui confondit vos Enemis, ſaura diſſiper de nouveau le Conſeil des Nations, et mettre à néant les deſſeins des Peuples.

Beni ſoit Dieu, qui a formé vous Mains au Combat, et vos doigts à la Bataille; et qui vous a donné la Victoire. Veuille à l'avenir le Tout Puiſſant avoir toûjours vôtre Majeſté en ſa Sauvegarde, donner à ſes deſſeins des Succès heureux, d'où reſulte la Paix, et la Proſperité de vos Royaumes; et prolongeant les Jours de vôtre Majeſté, pour le Bonheur de ſes Peuples, l'apui de la Cauſe Proteſtante, et la Conſolation de ceux qui l'ont à Coeur; faire qu'il y aît toûjours juſqu'à la fin des Siècles, quelqu'un de vôtre Auguſte Famille, aſſis ſur le Trône de ces Royaumes, pour ſuivre vos grandes Vuës, et marcher ſur vos glorieuſes Traces.

Weſtminſter, March 2.

HIS Majeſty came this Day to the Houſe of Peers, and being in His Royal Robes, ſeated on the Throne with the uſual Solemnity, Sir Charles Dalton, Gentleman Uſher of the Black Rod, was ſent with a Meſſage from his Majeſty to the Houſe of Commons, commanding their Attendance in the Houſe of Peers; the Commons being come thither accordingly, his Majeſty was pleaſed to give the Royal Aſſent to,

An Act for Continuing the Duties upon Malt, Mum, Cyder and Perry, in that Part of Great Britain called England, and for granting to his Majeſty certain Duties upon Malt, Mum, Cyder and Perry, in that Part of Great Britain called Scotland, for the Service of the Year One thouſand ſeven hundred and forty four.

An Act to impower his Majeſty to ſecure and detain ſuch Perſons as his Majeſty ſhall ſuſpect are conſpiring againſt his Perſon and Government.

An Act to amend and make more effectual the Laws relating to Rogues, Vagabonds, and other idle and diſorderly Perſons, and to Houſes of Correction.

An Act to oblige Overſeers of the Poor to give publick Notice of Rates made for the Relief of the Poor, and to produce the ſame.

An Act for taking and ſwearing Affidavits to be made Uſe of in any of the Courts of the County Palatine of Lancaſter.

An Act to prevent the Committing of Abuſes in the Weighing and Packing of Butter in the Town and Borough of New Malton, in the County of York.

An Act for enlarging the Term and Powers granted by an Act paſſed in the third Year of the Reign of his preſent Majeſty, for Repairing and Widening the Road from that Part of Chatham, which lies next to the City of Rocheſter, to St. Dunſtan's Croſs near the City of Canterbury, in the County of Kent.

An Act for Repairing and Widening the Road leading from a Place called Harlow Buſh Common in the Pariſh of Harlow in the County of Eſſex, to Stump Croſs in the Pariſh of Great Cheſterfield in the ſaid County.

An Act for enlarging the Term and Powers granted by an Act paſſed in the third Year of the Reign of his preſent Majeſty, intitled, An Act for Repairing the Roads leading from a Gate called Shipſton Toll Gate, at Bridge Town in the Pariſh of Old Stratford, in the County of Warwick, through Alderminſter and Shipſton upon Stower, to the Top of Long Compton Hill in the ſaid County, and to make the ſame more effectual.

An Act for enlarging the Term and Powers granted by an Act paſſed in the fourth Year of the Reign of his preſent Majeſty, for Repairing the Road leading from Chappel on the Heath, in the County of Oxford, to the Quarry above Bourton on the Hill, in the County of Glouceſter.

An Act for continuing the Term and Powers granted by an Act paſſed in the firſt Year of his preſent Majeſty's Reign, intituled, An Act for Repairing and Amending ſeveral Roads leading to and from the Borough of Eveſham in the County of Worceſter, and for making the ſame more effectual.

An Act for Raiſing and Eſtabliſhing a Fund for a Proviſion for the Widows and Children of the Miniſters of the Church of Scotland, and of the Heads, Principals and Maſters of the Univerſities of St. Andrews, Glaſgow and Edinburgh.

An Act for Continuing and Enlarging the Term and Powers granted by an Act paſſed in the third Year of the Reign of his preſent Majeſty, for Repairing the Road leading from Galley Corner adjoining to Enfield Chace, in the Pariſh

riſh of South Mims in the County of Middleſex, to Lemsford Mill in the County of Hertford.

And to Eleven Private Bills.

Hague, March 6, *N. S.*

Tranſlation of the Reſolution of the States General, the 2*d of March.*

HAving been deliberated, by Reſumption upon the Memorial of Mr. Trevor, Envoy Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of his Majeſty the King of Great Britain, preſented to their High Mightineſſes upon the 29th of laſt Month, by which, purſuant to the Order of his ſaid Majeſty, he informs their High Mightineſſes of the very juſt Grounds of Suſpicion which ariſe from the Arrival of the eldeſt Son of the Pretender in France, the extraordinary Preparations and Motions by Sea and Land, and particularly the Fitting out and Sailing of a Squadron from Breſt, and the Aſſemblage of Troops and Tranſport Ships along the Coaſts, eſpecially at Dunkirk, that a Deſign has been formed to make an Invaſion upon ſome Part of his Majeſty's Kingdoms; demanding, by Virtue of the Treaties and Alliances ſubſiſting between his Majeſty and their High Mightineſſes, that they would immediately diſpatch their Orders for a Body of Six Thouſand Men of their national Infantry to repair to Willemſtadt, to be embarked there and tranſported into England; demanding alſo, that till ſuch Time as their High Mightineſſes ſhall be able to give the entire Succour, which, by the Treaties, they are engaged to furniſh by Sea, ſome of their Ships of War, which are in Readineſs, be employed to convoy the ſaid Troops; all which is more fully ſet forth in the ſaid Memorial, and in the Acts of the 29th of the laſt Month. In Conſequence thereof, it hath been thought fit, and reſolved, to give Mr. Trevor the following Anſwer upon his ſaid Memorial: That the Umbrage which has been taken, as if the Kingdoms of his Britannick Majeſty were threatned with an Invaſion, from the Arrival of the eldeſt Son of the Pretender in France, from the Sailing of the Breſt Squadron, and from the Preparations and Motions which are making along the Coaſts, and particularly at Dunkirk, in order to make an Imbarkation of Troops there, cannot be looked upon but as extremely well founded; That their High Mightineſſes do ſo greatly eſteem his Majeſty, and his Friendſhip, and take ſo great a Part in the Preſervation and Welfare of his Majeſty, and his Kingdoms, that no Foreign Power do create Diſorders therein, and that no Invaſion be made upon the preſent Conſtitution as by Law eſtabliſhed; and conſidering not only their Treaties, and Alliances, which oblige them to ſupport his Majeſty in his lawful Government, and his Kingdoms in their Religion and Liberties, but alſo their own Intereſts, as judging, that the Preſervation of their own State, and of their own Religion and Liberty, under the Aſſiſtance of the Almighty, depends in a very great Meaſure upon the ſtrict Union and Alliances between the Crown of Great Britain and their Republick: In Conſequence thereof, they do not heſitate a Moment to grant his Majeſty immediately the Succour of 6000 Men, and have already choſen, and given Orders for the Tranſportation of ſix Battalions into England as ſoon as poſſible: That they will immediately inform themſelves whether there be in the Ports belonging to the Republick, any Veſſels of War in a Condition to ſerve as a Convoy to the ſaid Troops, of which they are not certain; that their High Mightineſſes being firmly perſuaded, that in this Conjuncture their Intereſts are one and the ſame with thoſe of his Majeſty, they will be ready and willing to give his Majeſty all the Aſſiſtance which the common Intereſts and the good Faith of the Treaties require, and which is in their Power.

And an Extract of the preſent Reſolution of their High Mightineſſes ſhall be delivered by their Agent De Byemont to the ſaid Mr. Trevor.

Petersbourg, Feb. 4. On the 24th paſt the Empreſs arrived at Seſwatske, a Village ſix Werſt on this Side Moſcow, and on the 27th her Imperial Majeſty made her publick Entry into that City. Yeſterday Noon the Princeſs of Anhalt Zerbſt, Siſter to the Prince Royal of Sweden, arrived here with the Princeſs her Daughter. Their Highneſſes were ſaluted by the Fire of the Cannon from the Fort and Admiralty, were conducted to her Imperial Majeſty's Winter Palace, and lodged in the Great Duke's Apartment. Their Arrival was immediately notified to the Foreign Miniſters, and other Perſons of Diſtinction, who went in the Evening to pay their Compliments to their Highneſſes on that Occaſion. On Monday next their Highneſſes intend to ſet forward for Moſcow.

Liege, March 1, *N. S.* This Day Prince Theodore of Bavaria, Biſhop of Ratisbonne and Frieſinghen, lately elected Biſhop and Prince of Liege, received his Confirmation from Rome; which having been communicated to the Chapter of Liege, his Highneſs will take Poſſeſſion of the Government on the 10th Inſtant; and on the 15th very great Illuminations, and other Demonſtrations of Joy will be made in this City, and other Towns of the Principality of Liege. His Highneſs has acknowledged the Queen of Hungary as Queen of Bohemia, which the late Biſhop refuſed to do. This gives great Satisfaction to his Subjects, who conſider this Step as a Mark of ſuch a Diſpoſition in their Prince, as is neceſſary to maintain the Neutrality of their Country, in the preſent Conjuncture.

Whitehall, March 3.

The King has been pleaſed to order his Letters Mandatory to be iſſued to the Sub-Dean, or in his Abſence, to the Preſident and Chapter of the Cathedral Church of Lincoln, for electing Dr. Thomas Cheney to be Dean of the ſaid Church, in the room of the Right Reverend Father

Father in God Dr. Edward Willes, Biſhop of Bath and Wells.

The King has been pleaſed to grant unto Francis Walwyn, Maſter of Arts, the Place and Dignity of a Canon, or Prebendary of the Metropolitical Church of Canterbury, void by the Promotion of Dr. Samuel Liſle, late Prebendary thereof, to the Biſhoprick of St. Aſaph.

The King has been pleaſed to preſent Thomas Newton, Maſter of Arts, to the united Pariſhes of St. Mary le Bow, St. Pancras Soper Lane, and Allhallows Honey Lane in the City of London, and the peculiar Juriſdiction of Canterbury, void by the Promotion of Dr. Samuel Liſle to the Biſhoprick of St. Aſaph.

Leiceſter Houſe, February 29.

This Day M. Ringvich, Miniſter from Sweden, had his firſt private Audience of his Royal Highneſs the Prince of Wales; to which he was introduced by Sir Clement Cottrell Dormer, Knt. Maſter of the Ceremonies.

He had afterwards his firſt private Audience of her Royal Highneſs the Princeſs of Wales; being introduced by the Maſter of the Ceremonies.

St. James's, March 2.

This Day M. Ringvich, Miniſter from Sweden, had his firſt private Audience of his Royal Highneſs the Duke; to which he was introduced by Sir Clement Cottrell Dormer, Knt. Maſter of the Ceremonies.

Admiralty Office, Feb. 25, 1743.

The Lords Commiſſioners of the Admiralty are pleaſed to direct, that ſuch diſabled or worn out Seamen who have been nominated to be received into the Royal Hoſpital at Greenwich, do make their Appearance at this Office on Tueſday the 1ſt of May next, at Ten o'Clock in the Morning.

Tho. Corbett.

Whitehall, Feb. 10, 1743.

Whereas it has been repreſented to his Majeſty, that a Letter, dated the 23d of January laſt, was ſent by Perſons unknown, directed to the Lady Drury at Pinkney Hall, near Fakenham in Norfolk, threatening to ſet her Houſe on Fire, and to kill her, unleſs ſhe ſhould put Eighty Pounds in a Place deſcribed in the ſaid Letter; His Majeſty, for the better Diſcovering and bringing to Juſtice the Perſon or Perſons concerned in the Writing or Sending of the abovementioned Letter, is pleaſed to promiſe his moſt gracious Pardon to any one who ſhall diſcover his Accomplice or Accomplices, ſo as he, ſhe or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

HOLLES NEWCASTLE.

And as a farther Encouragement for making ſuch Diſcovery, a Reward of Forty Pounds is hereby promiſed to be paid on Demand, by David and John Jones, Merchants at Fakenham in Norfolk, or by the Rev. Mr. John Wright, at Thetford in the ſaid County.

John Wright.

28 February 1743.

The Principal Officers of his Majeſty's Ordnance do hereby give Notice, that whoever will diſcover to them any Arms concealed in any Port of Great Britain, ſo as the ſame may be properly ſecured, till his Majeſty's Pleaſure ſhall be known therein; the Name or Names of the Perſon or Perſons who ſhall make ſuch Diſcovery ſhall be concealed, if required, and he or they ſhall receive as a Reward for the ſame, after the Rate of Twenty Five Pounds for every One Hundred Arms, and ſo in Proportion, be the Number more or leſs.

By Order of the Board,

Charles Buſh.

Whitehall, Feb. 25, 1743-4.

Whereas a Treaſonable Paper was, on the 21ſt Inſtant in the Morning, ſtuck on the Window Shutter of the Houſe of John Brown, near the North Gate of the Town of Leiceſter; His Majeſty, for the better diſcovering and bringing to Juſtice the Perſon or Perſons concerned in writing the ſaid Paper, is pleaſed to promiſe his moſt gracious Pardon to any one of them, who ſhall diſcover his Accomplice or Accomplices, ſo as he, ſhe, or they, may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

HOLLES NEWCASTLE.

And as a farther Encouragement, the Mayor of Leiceſter does hereby promiſe a Reward of One Hundred Pounds to any Perſon or Perſons making ſuch Diſcovery as aforeſaid, to be paid upon the Conviction of the Offender or Offenders.

Samuel Belton, Mayor.

War Office, March 3, 1743-4.

Whereas it hath been repreſented to his Majeſty, that divers of the Men belonging to the Draughts which have been made from the ſeveral Regiments of Horſe, Dragoons, and Foot, in Great Britain and Ireland, in order to augment and recruit the Forces in Flanders, may have formerly deſerted from the Regiments now in Great Britain, Ireland, or Flanders, and entred themſelves in ſome of the aforeſaid Regiments now draughted: And whereas ſeveral other Soldiers may have deſerted from other Regiments, and may have again inliſted in different Corps in his Majeſty's Service.

His Majeſty is graciouſly pleaſed hereby to grant his Pardon to all ſuch Deſerters as aforeſaid (excepting ſuch as are now in actual Cuſtody for ſuch Offence) and likewiſe to declare, It is his Royal Intention they ſhall continue in his Service in the Regiments in which they now are or ſhall be incorporated, without being moleſted or claimed by the Officers of the reſpective Corps to whom they did formerly belong.

His Majeſty is likewiſe pleaſed to grant his moſt gracious Pardon to all ſuch Deſerters as ſhall return and ſurrender themſelves to the reſpective Corps to which they belong, on or before the Fourth Day of April next.

By His Majeſty's Command,

Will. Yonge.

East India Houſe, February 22, 1743.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the Eaſt Indies do hereby give Notice, that the Tranſfer Books of the ſaid Company will be ſhut up on Tueſday the 13th of March next, at Two of the Clock: That a Quarterly General Court will be holden at their Houſe in Leadenhall-ſtreet on Wedneſday the 21ſt of the ſaid Month, at Eleven in the Forenoon: That the Liſts of the Members of the ſaid Company will be ready to be delivered at the ſaid Houſe on Friday the 23d of the ſaid Month: That a General Court will be holden at the ſaid Houſe on Wedneſday the 4th of April next, for the Election of 24 Directors for the Year enſuing, which will continue from Nine in the Morning till Six in the Afternoon of the ſame Day, after which Time no Liſts will be taken in: And that the Tranſfer Books of the ſaid Company will be opened on Thurſday the 5th of the ſaid Month of April.

Victualling

Victualling Office, Feb. 29, 1743.

The Commissioners for Victualling his Majesty's Navy give Notice, that on Wednesday the 28th of March next in the Forenoon, they will be ready to treat with such Persons as are inclineable to furnish Salt, as also Hamburgh Pipe and Hogshead Staves, and Iron Hoops, for the Service of his Majesty's Navy.

London, Feb. 16, 1743.

The Commissioners appointed by His Majesty for distributing to the Sufferers by Spanish Depredations, the Moiety of the neat Produce of Effects taken from the King of Spain and his Subjects, do hereby give Notice, pursuant to Directions in the said Commission, That all Sufferers entituled to a Share in the Distribution of the said Moiety, are required by the said Commission to enter their respective Claims, in Writing, on or before the Fourth Day of August next, and that they are to prove their Claims and Losses on or before the Fourth Day of May 1745, before the said Commissioners; and that all who shall fail to make such Entry and Proof within the said respective Times, are by the Commission excluded any Share in the said Moiety.

London, March 2, 1743.

The Commissioners appointed for Distributing the Moiety of the Prizes taken from the Spaniards hereby give Notice, that they will meet on Tuesday next, and every Tuesday following, in the Forenoon, at the London Assurance Office in Cornhill, to enter the Claims of those who suffered by Spanish Guarda Costas or other Ships, between the 2d of June 1721, and the 10th of July 1739, and who are intitled to a Share in the Distribution to be made pursuant to the said Commission; whereby it is provided, That with Respect to Losses before the Treaty of Seville, bearing Date the 9th of November 1729, no Persons are intitled to any Share, whose Claims were not entered, and Proofs exhibited, on or before that Time; And with Respect to Losses subsequent to the said Treaty, no Persons are intitled to any Share whose Losses were not represented on or before the 30th of June 1743, in such Manner as the said Commission directs. And that daily Attendance will be given in the Forenoon, Saturdays excepted, by Mr. Joseph Sedgwick, appointed by the Commissioners to receive the said Claims: And in Case of Adjournment to any other Time or Place, Notice will be given thereof.

South-Sea-House London, 1 March, 1743.

The Court of Directors of the South Sea Company give Notice, that the Transfer Books of the Old South Sea Annuities will be shut on Wednesday the 14th Instant, at Two o'Clock, and open'd again on Wednesday the 25th of April next, altho' a Holiday; and that the Warrants for the Half Year's Interest due at Lady-day next, will be ready to be delivered and paid to the Proprietors on Saturday the 28th and Monday the 30th of the said Month of April, on which last mentioned Day the said Transfer Books will be shut.

London, March 1. 1743.

Notice is hereby given, That a General Court of Elections of the Governor and Company for Working of Mines, Minerals and Metals, in that Part of Great Britain called Scotland, will be held at the Sun Fire Office behind the Royal Exchange, on Thursday the 5th Day of April next, from Ten in the Morning till Two in the Afternoon, in order to chuse a Governor, Deputy Governor, and Court of Directors for the Year ensuing.

Advertisements.

TO be peremptorily sold, together or apart, pursuant to a Decree and subsequent Order of the High Court of Chancery, before Thomas Bennett, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court; at his Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, on Wednesday the 14th of March Instant, between the Hours of Ten and Twelve in the Forenoon, Two Leasehold Houses in in Rose-street, Soho, and an Exchequer Order for Payment of 126 l. per Annum, late the Estate of Abraham Meure, Esq; deceased, subject to the Incumbrances in the Particular mentioned. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Chambers.

TO be sold, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Samuel Burroughs, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Chancery-lane, A Freehold Estate called Sutton and Lutton Marshes, consisting of divers Messuages, Lands, Tenements and Hereditaments of the yearly Value of Two Thousand Five Hundred Pounds and upwards, in the several Parishes of Sutton St. Mary and Lutton in the County of Lincoln, situate within four Miles of Holbech and seven Miles of Wisbech. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Chambers.

TO be sold peremptorily, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, before Thomas Bennett, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, on Wednesday the 14th of this Instant March, between the Hours of Ten and Twelve of the Clock in the Forenoon, One Hundred and One Shares, and Five Sixteenth Parts of a Share of Thames Water; Shares in Ten separate Lots, by ten Shares in each of the first nine Lots, and the last Lot to have eleven Shares and five Sixteenth Parts of a Share.

TO be sold, (together or in Parcels) pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Edmund Sawyer, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, A Leasehold House in Poland Street St. James's; A Freehold Messuage and several Parcels of Land in Keverden and Walton in le Dale in Lancashire; And a Moiety of a Freehold House in Cateaton Street, London. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Chambers in Lincoln's Inn.

PUrsuant to a Decree in Chancery, the Creditors of Phillip late Duke of Wharton, by Specialty or simple Contract, (not provided for by certain Deeds of Trust dated the 20th of March, 1721, nor within a former Decree of the said Court, dated the 19th of August 1723) for any Debts or Demands really and justly due to them on the 5th of February 1725, are to come before Robert Holford, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn in Chancery-lane, to make Proof of their said Debts.

THE Creditors of John Rogers, late of London, Broker, a Bankrupt, are desired to meet the surviving Assignee of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, on Tuesday the 20th of this Instant March, at Baker's Coffee House in Exchange Alley, London, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, to assent or dissent to the said Assignee's compounding or agreeing the several Matters now depending and in Dispute between the said Assignee, and several other Persons.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under the Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against William Lewis, late of London, Chymist and Chapman, a Bankrupt, are desired to meet at the King's Head Tavern, the Corner of Chancery-lane, on Tuesday the 20th Day of March Instant, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, in order to impower his Assignees to commence one or more Suits in Equity, and to submit to Arbitration, or compound and agree certain Differences and Disputes concerning the said Bankrupt's Estate, and on other special Affairs.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Commissioners under the Commission of Bankruptcy awarded against John Nowell Rogers, late of Duke-street by Grosvenor Square in the County of Middlesex, Dealer in Meal and Chapman, are to meet on the 15th Instant, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; at which Time the Assignees of the Estate and Effects of the said Bankrupt are to produce their Accounts, and to verify the same before the said Commissioners, and are to receive Directions how to apply the Monies in their Hands, and how to proceed to the Sale of the rest of the Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, in order for making a Dividend thereof; such Creditors of the said Bankrupt who have not already proved their Debts under the said Commission, will then be allow'd to prove the same.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt George Mackinder, of St. James Weſtminſter, in the County of Middleſex, Cabinet Maker, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 10th and 15th of March Inſtant, and on the 14th of April next, at Three in the Afternoon on each of the ſaid Days, at Guildhall, London; and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the ſecond Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint; but give Notice to Mr. William Smyth, Attorney in Somerſet Houſe Stable-yard in the Strand.

THE Commiſſioners in the Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Robert Groome, of Buttolph Lane, London, Orange Merchant, intend to meet on the 4th of April next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to do the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Lucy Strudwick, of Watford in the County of Hertford, Draper, intend to meet on the 29th of this Inſtant March, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a ſecond and final Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to do the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Brand, of Wiveliſcombe in the County of Somerſet, Mercer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 16th Day of May next, by Two of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the Houſe of Thomas Atkey, called Atkey's Coffee Houſe in the Serge-market of the City of Exon, in order to make a Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to do the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Careleſs, late of Birmingham, in the County of Warwick, but now of Wedneſbury in the County of Stafford, Ironmonger, intend to meet on the 6th of April next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the Houſe of Francis Cox, being the Sign of the Angel and Hen and Chickens in Birmingham aforeſaid, in order to make a Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to do the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend.

THE under-mentioned Perſons claiming the Benefit of the Act lately paſſed for Relief of inſolvent Debtors, the following Notices have been brought to the Printer of the London Gazette, to be inſerted in this Paper, and are herein inſerted in Obedience to the ſaid Act.

Thomas Eaſtmead, formerly of the Pariſh of St. Ann, within the Liberty of Weſtminſter, in the County of Middleſex, but late of the Pariſh of St. Bridget, otherwiſe Brides, London, Bagnio Keeper and Vintner, who upon the 1ſt Day of January 1742, was a Priſoner confined for Debt in the Fleet Priſon, but hath ſince been removed by Writ of Habeas Corpus to the King's Bench Priſon in Southwark, where he ſtill remains a Priſoner for Debt, intends to take the Benefit of the late Act of Inſolvency made the ſixteenth Year of his preſent Majeſty's Reign, at the next General or Quarter Seſſions of the Peace to be held in and for the County of Surry.

The following Perſon being a Priſoner for Debt in the Goal at Bromley, one of the Priſons for the County of Kent, hereby gives Notice, that ſhe intends to take the Benefit of an Act of Parliament made in the Sixteenth Year of the Reign of his preſent Majeſty King George the Second, intitled, An Act for the Relief of Inſolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Seſſions of the Peace to be held at Maidſtone in and for the Weſtern Diviſion of the ſaid County of Kent, or at the Adjournment thereof, which ſhall happen next after Thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz. Elizabeth Farley, late of Croydon in the County of Surry, Widow.

The following Perſons being Priſoners for Debt in his Majeſty's Priſon of the Fleet, hereby give Notice, that they intend to take the Benefit of an Act of Parliament made in the Sixteenth Year of the Reign of his Majeſty King George the Second, intitled, An Act for the Relief of Inſolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Seſſions of the Peace to be held at the Guildhall of the City of London, in and for the ſaid City, or at the Adjournment thereof, that ſhall happen next after 30 Days from the Publication hereof, viz. James Hopkins, late of the Royal Exchange, London, Dealer in Tea. James Mariette, late of Aldgate London, Hoſier and Haberdaſher of Hats. John Tarran, late of Danby Wisk in the County of York, Clerk.

The following Perſons being Fugitives for Debt, and beyond the Seas on or before the firſt of January 1742, and having ſurrendred themſelves to the Keeper of his Majeſty's Priſon of the Fleet, London, hereby give Notice, that they intend to take the Benefit of an Act of Parliament paſſed in the Sixteenth Year of the Reign of his preſent Majeſty King George the Second, intitled, An Act for the Relief of Inſolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Seſſions of the Peace to be held for the City of London, or at the Adjournment thereof, that ſhall happen next after thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz. Arthur Biſſell, late of the Inner Temple, London, Gent. William Ewer, late of Belchamp St. Paul's in the County of Eſſex, Soapboiler and Chapman. Nicholas Lawleſs, late of Portſmouth in Hampſhire, Cook. John Wells, late of Stroudwater in the County of Glouceſter, Felt-maker.

The following Perſons being Priſoners for Debt in the King's Bench Priſon in Southwark, in the County of Surry, hereby give Notice, that they intend to take the Benefit of an Act of Parliament paſſed in the Sixteenth Year of the Reign of his Majeſty King George the Second, intitled, An Act for the Relief of Inſolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Seſſions of the Peace to be held in and for the County of Surry, or at the Adjournment thereof, which ſhall happen next after Thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz. Lawrence Webſter, late of Fenchurch-ſtreet, in the Pariſh of St. Dionis Back Church, London. Thomas Eaſtmead, late of Bell Savage Yard Ludgate-hill, in the Pariſh of St. Bridget otherwiſe Bride's, London, Tallow-chandler. John Fowler, late of the Borough of Southwark in Surry, Black-ſmith.

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The following Perſons being Fugitives for Debt and beyond the Seas on and before the firſt of January 1742, and having ſurrendred themſelves to the Keeper of the King's Bench Priſon in the County of Surry, hereby give Notice, that they intend to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament, made in the Sixteenth Year of the Reign of his preſent Majeſty, for the Relief of Inſolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Seſſions of the Peace to be held in and for the County of Surry, or at the Adjournment thereof, which ſhall happen next after Thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz. John Collings, late of Ratcliff Highway in the Pariſh of St. George in the County of Middleſex, Mariner. John Brice, late of St. Martin's le Grand, in the Liberty of Weſtminſter, in the County of Middleſex, Lapidary. James Man, late of Avely in the County of Eſſex, Cooper. Nathaniel Bardolph, late of St. Mary le Bone in the County of Middleſex, Gent. William Carruthers, late of the Pariſh of St. Faith in the City of London, Carpenter and Chapman. Hugh Johnſton, late of the Pariſh of St. Mary Rotherhith in the County of Surry, Caulker and Mariner. Joſeph Beckitt, late of Gray's Inn-lane, in the Pariſh of St. Andrew Holbourn, in the County of Middleſex, Victualler. John Caſeley, late of Vauxhall, in the Pariſh of St. Mary at Lambeth, in the County of Surry, Waterman. John Comings, late of Mitchell-court, in Mitchell-ſtreet, in the Pariſh of St. Luke, Old-ſtreet, Middleſex, Porter and Chapman. John Wiblin, late of the Pariſh of Pancras in the County of Middleſex, Victualler and Carpenter. Daniel Clever, late of the Pariſh of Hampſtead in the County of Middleſex, Butcher.

The following Perſon being a Fugitive for Debt and beyond the Seas on or before the firſt of January, 1742, and having ſurrendred himſelf to the Keeper of his Majeſty's Goal at Rocheſter, in and for the County of Kent, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Sixteenth Year of his preſent Majeſty King George the Second, intitled, An Act for the Relief of Inſolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Seſſions of the Peace to be held at Maidſtone in and for the ſaid County of Kent, or at the Adjournment thereof, which ſhall firſt happen next after Thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz. Daniel Davey, late of Dartford in the County of Kent, Baker and Chapman.

The following Perſon being a Priſoner for Debt in the Sheriff's Ward in the Goal at Bodmin, in the County of Cornwall, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of an Act of Parliament made in the Sixteenth Year of the Reign of his preſent Majeſty, intitled, An Act for the Relief of Inſolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Seſſions of the Peace to be held in and for the ſaid County, or at the Adjournment thereof, which ſhall happen next after Thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz. Thomas Woollcock, late of the Pariſh of St. Breock in the County of Cornwall, Clothier.

The following Perſon being a Fugitive for Debt and beyond the Seas on or before the Firſt of January, 1742, and having ſurrendred himſelf to the Keeper of the Caſtle of York, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of an Act of Parliament paſſed in the Sixteenth Year of the Reign of his preſent Majeſty King George the Second, intitled, An Act for the Relief of Inſolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Seſſions of the Peace to be held for the Weſt Riding of the County of York, at the Caſtle of York, or at the Adjournment thereof that ſhall happen next after Thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz. Thomas Healey, late of Car-ſide, in the Pariſh of Hatfield, in the County of York, Fellmonger.

The following Perſon being a Priſoner for Debt in the County Goal of Carnarvon, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Sixteenth Year of the Reign of his preſent Majeſty King George the Second, intitled, An Act for the Relief of Inſolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Seſſions of the Peace to be held for the ſaid County, or at the Adjournment thereof, that ſhall happen next after Thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz. James Wattſon, late of Caſtle-hill, in the County of Nithiſdale in the Kingdom of Scotland, ſince of Carnarvon in the County of Carnarvon, North Wales, Chapman.

The following Perſon being a Fugitive for Debt, and beyond the Seas on or before the firſt of January 1742, and having ſurrendred himſelf to the Keeper of the Poultry Compter, London, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of an Act of Parliament paſſed in the Sixteenth Year of the Reign of his preſent Majeſty King George the Second, intitled, An Act for the Relief of Inſolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Seſſions of the Peace to be held for the City of London, or at the Adjournment thereof, which ſhall happen next after Thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz. William Walker, late of Aldgate, London, Turner.

N. B. If any Perſon in the foregoing Liſt of Priſoners ſhall find, on the Peruſal of this Gazette, that there is any Error, ſuch Error ſhall, upon Notice, be rectified in the next Gazette Gratis.

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